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16 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

17 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

18 CAROLYN K. BLOMBERG,

19 Plaintiff,

20 v.

21 JO ANNE B. BARNHART,  
22 Commissioner of  
23 Social Security,

24 Defendant.

CASE NO. 2:05-CV-00483-DAD

25 STIPULATION AND ORDER  
26 SETTLING ATTORNEY'S FEES  
27 PURSUANT TO THE EQUAL  
28 ACCESS TO JUSTICE ACT  
(EAJA)

It is stipulated by the parties through their undersigned counsel, with the Court's approval, that counsel for Plaintiff be awarded attorney's fees under the Equal Access to Justice Act (EAJA) in the amount of FOUR THOUSAND AND 00/100 DOLLARS (\$4,000.00), for compensation for legal services rendered on Plaintiff's behalf, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2412(d), thereby constituting a compromise settlement for all fees under the EAJA in this action, but not constituting any admission of Defendant's liability under the EAJA in this action.

1 Payment of the amount specified above shall constitute a  
2 complete release from and bar to any and all claims of Plaintiff's  
3 counsel relating to EAJA fees in connection with this action,  
4 without prejudice to any future request for fees under the Social  
5 Security Act, 42 U.S.C. § 406(b).  
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7 DATE: November 22, 2006 /s/ Ann M. Cerney (as authorized on  
8 November 22, 2006)  
9 ANN M. CERNEY  
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11 DATE: November 22, 2006 McGREGOR W. SCOTT  
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20 UNITED STATES SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION  
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## ORDER

Counsel for Plaintiff is hereby awarded attorney's fees pursuant to the Equal Access to Justice Act in the amount of \$4,000.00, pursuant to the stipulation of the parties.

APPROVED AND SO ORDERED.

DATED: November 27, 2006.

Dale A. Droyd  
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UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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